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# VAUGHAN'S NOVELTIES AND SPECIALTIES FOR 1913

## TO THE SEED TRADE—For your 1913 Catalogue

This preliminary list of Vaughan's Novelties and Specialties for 1913 is issued for the convenience of those desiring to list them in their 1913 seed catalogues. Any of the cuts shown on these pages sent free with a reasonable order for seeds or bulbs which they represent.

### VAUGHAN'S GLADIOLI

We are growers of Gladioli in a large way, and we are introducers of the best selling new varieties. Our Princes and Mrs. Francis King have become notable leaders in the East and West. Chicago White and Kunderdi Glory, Ruffled, named here, will no doubt prove equally valuable. Besides these named kinds we are carrying mixtures in several grades, including mixed from named kinds.

### NEW TYPE OF GLADIOLI KUNDERDI "GLORY"

#### WITH "RUFFLED" PETALS

The broadly expanded, wide open flowers, paired by twos, all face in the same direction and are carried on straight stout stalks, fully 3½ feet. From three to eight of these handsome flowers are open at one time. Each petal is exquisitely ruffled and fluted.

The color is a delicate cream pink, with a most attractive crimson stripe in the center of each lower petal, the shade of which is unique in Gladioli. The ruffling of the petals in this new strain has attracted much attention the country over. It is claimed by the grower, who has worked out this type, that later on he will have a wide range of colors in this class. He claims distinctness in form, even as the "Spencer" types of sweet peas exceed the old forms. The following expert opinions indicate the value of Kunderdi Glory:

"Ruffled" is in gloom. Grand does not express it. It is the "Sanspareil" of all gladioli.—L. Merton Gage.

"I am glad to hear of your continued success with the ruffled Gladioli.

The cream-colored variety is very beautiful indeed; good color, fine spike and substance, and exquisite in finish."—W. Van Fleet.

"The Ruffled Gladiolus, like the ruffled sweet peas, has a refined appearance which the common flat ones do not possess."—Luther Burbank.

**Price—Per 100, \$5.00; per 1000, \$43.00** (250 bulbs at the 1000 rate); lots of 3000 at **\$40.00 per 1000.**

### CHICAGO WHITE

#### THE EARLIEST WHITE

The flowers are well expanded, well placed upon the stalk, pure white with faint lavender streaks in the lower petals. In form they resemble the Childsii type. They are borne on tall straight stems and from five to 7 flowers are open at one time. It is one of the **earliest** varieties to bloom, hence valuable as a cut flower sort, either for forcing or outdoor planting. As a 1912 novelty, it has attracted wide attention and much favorable comment.

We firmly believe the Chicago White is sure to make a name for itself as soon as the crop increases sufficiently to give it general distribution. Seedsmen buying it now will make good profit in growing it later on. In the Chicago market the spikes sold freely.

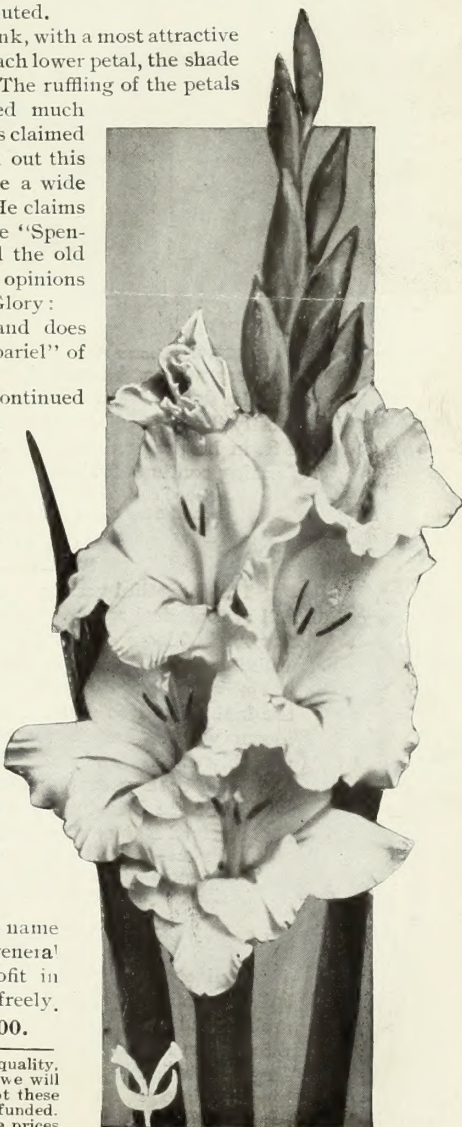
**Price—First Size Bulbs, per 100 \$7.50; per 1000 \$65.00.**

We do not warrant in any way, expressed or implied, the description, quality, productiveness or any other matter of seeds, bulbs or plants sold by us, and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept these goods on the above terms, he must return them at once and money will be refunded. Subject to the above conditions and by reason thereof, we make the moderate prices at which we sell our goods.

VAUGHAN'S SEED STORE



KUNDERDI GLORY—Electro A



KUNDERDI GLORY—Electro B



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**PRINCEPS—Electro A**

are very wide and rounded, well reflexed, forming an almost circular flower. The color is brilliant scarlet-crimson, carrying mostly three broad white blotches on the lower petals. Spikes 4 ft. in height produce 12 to 15 flowers, opening in succession, forming continuous bloom for two weeks.

Price—First Size Bulbs per 100 \$8.00, per 1000 \$70.00;  
Second Size Bulbs per 100 \$6.75, per 1000 \$60.00.

## AMERICA

This beautiful variety with its soft lavender pink color, its full symmetrical spike, with its rounded double row of many flowers in bloom at one time, has been accepted with great enthusiasm by the cut flower growers; they found the blooms not only very popular with the public as cut flowers, but that the bulbs could be planted in greenhouses in winter, and thus bloom very early. It has had a very large sale, and will probably this season be more in demand than any other named sort, not even excepting Mrs. Francis King. Our bulbs are mainly of the introducer's stock, and are sound and healthy. Has received many exhibition honors.

Price—First Size per 100 \$2.75; per 1000 \$24.00.

Special Mailing Size per 100 \$2.50; per 1000 \$21.00.

Write for price on other sizes.

## MARGARET

A vigorous grower 5 to 6 feet, with broad foliage. The spike is straight and strong. The flowers are large, beautifully arched and arranged in two rows facing the same way, with 6 to 8 open at a time. The color is a brilliant carmine with a large white blotch on lower petals, the white and carmine blending into a violet tint. A good cut flower.

Price—Per 100 \$12.00; per 1000 \$100.00.

## MRS. FRANCIS KING

### THE LEADING DECORATIVE GLADIOLUS FOR THE TRADE

This has become the most popular and effective variety for window, store and hotel decorations. The long, strong flower stalks with foliage, and its effective flower spike with a good line of reserve buds continually opening, and with flower  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches across, and five to six flowers well spread out on the spike at the same time, gives for vases, in hotel lobbies and dining rooms, parlor decorations, etc., an effect not produced by any other Gladiolus. The color, brilliant Flamingo Pink blazed with vermilion red, is most effective both in daylight and under artificial light. As a seller in flower stores it has brought better prices than any other kind except America, which, of course, with its soft pink color, excels Mrs. Francis King for floral design work and for that only. Every seedsman will find this as profitable a variety as he can offer.

Price—First Size per 100, \$1.75; per 1000 \$16.00.  
Second Size per 100 \$1.50; per 1000 \$14.00.

## VAUGHAN'S PRINCEPS

Princeps has more than verified, by its wonderful popularity in both Europe and America, the claims made by us in introducing it in 1903. Its wonderful size of flower, perfect shape, brilliant coloring and artistic form of flower spike are each so notably an improvement over all other varieties that all combined place it in the front rank. The flowers are 5 to 6 in. broad, the petals



AMERICA  
One-half Natural Size



MRS.  
FRANCIS KING  
Electro B



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OTHER GLADIOLI

**AUGUSTA.** Pure white, with slight pink shade on lower half of the petal, blue anthers; bulb often produces two or more spikes.  
**First Size Bulbs—Per 100 \$1.85, per 1000 \$15.00. Second Size—Per 100 \$1.75, Per 1000 \$12.00.**

**BARON J. HULOT.** Dark velvety purple flower of the Lemoine type, tall and slender, flowers thickly set on spike. Best blue we have seen.  
**First Size Bulbs—per 100 \$7.00, per 1000 \$60.00.**

**BRENCHLEYENSIS.** Intense fiery scarlet; very showy. A favorite for massing. Fine sort for planting in clumps among shrubs.  
**Price—Per 100 \$1.25, per 1000 \$11.00.**

**JESSIE.** Rich velvety red, fine spike, early bloomer.  
**Price—Per 100 \$2.00, per 1000 \$18.00.**

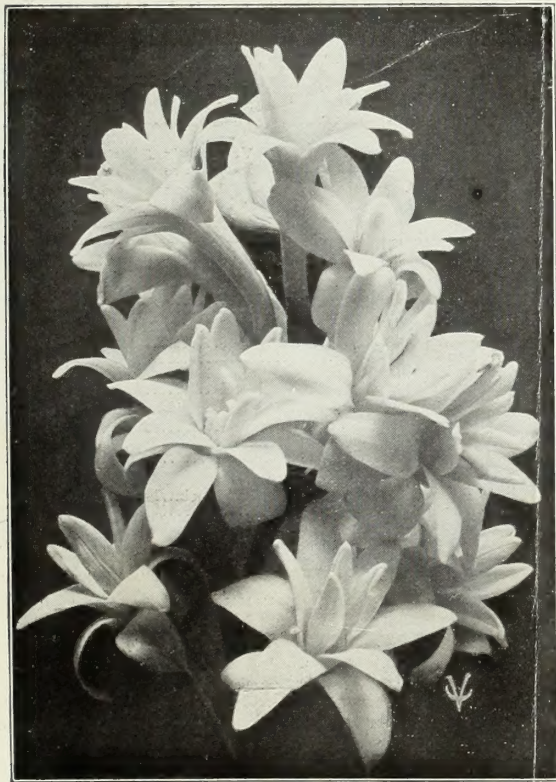
**SHAKESPEARE.** Blush white with large rosy blotch; good forcing variety.  
**Price—Per 100 \$4.00, per 1000 \$37.50.**

**VELVET KING, also called Grenadier or No. 312.** Fine dark scarlet similar to old variety Brenchleyensis. Veined on two lower petals with a darker color. Vigorous grower. Flower is of a velvety substance and nearly as large as Mrs. Francis King.  
**Price—Per 100 \$2.50, per 1000 \$22.50.**

VAUGHAN'S GLADIOLUS MIXTURES

**RAINBOW MIXTURE.** Composed of the choicest named varieties and including also the famous Childsii, Lemoines, and Nanceianus sorts. The best mixture we can make up, and is without an equal in America.  
**Price—Per 100 \$2.50, per 1000 \$22.50.**

**EXTRA FINE MIXED.** The mixture is especially grown for us, and is further improved by us when received from the grower by the addition of many choice new kinds, including some Childsii, insuring a wide range of colors, shades and types.  
**Price—Per 100 \$1.85, per 1000 \$16.00.**



TUBEROSE—Electro A



MRS. FRANCIS KING  
Electro A

VAUGHAN'S  
SEEDLING MIXTURE

Made up from unnamed seedlings of our own and from several Gladiolus specialists, and contains excellent values.

**Price—Per 100, \$1.40  
per 1000 \$12.00.**

Be sure to list the book  
"The Gladiolus."  
See page 4.

CALADIUM ESCULENTUM

ELEPHANT'S EAR

Cured and sound Bulbs with good live

	center shoots	100	1000
5 to 7 inches in circumference.....		\$ 1 50	\$12 00
7 to 9 " " " " " " " " " " " "		2 75	24 00
9 to 11 " " " " " " " " " " " "		5 25	47 00
11 to 12 " " " " " " " " " " " "		8 50	75 00
12 inches and up.....		12 00	

Ten per cent. discount from above prices when shipped from New York Store.

TUBEROSES

Our stock of Excelsior Pearl has been bred up by many years of careful selection from bulbs, producing the shortest stalks with full heads of double flowers. The stock we offer are all well cured Bulbs free from rot.

True Excelsior Pearl, 1st Class, as received from our growers (4 to 6 inches).....	100	1000
6 inches).....	\$0 90	\$8 25
(4 to 6 inches) in New York....	85	7 75
Mailing size (3-4 inches).....	50	4 50
" " (3-4 in.) in N. Y.....	45	4 00



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## PLANTS, CLIMBERS AND ROSES



You will make no mistake to invest in "Vaughan's Special List" of superior plants, climbers and roses. These varieties below are of approved merit and are among our best sellers to the catalogue trade.

**AMPELOPSIS** *Dumetorium Laciniata*. A rapid growing vine on the order of the common Virginia Creeper, but with more deeply cut foliage and far more handsome.

2 year, Each 25c, Doz. \$2.50.

**Lovii**. A beautiful new self-clinger with small, handsome palmate leaves. Perfectly hardy, and delightfully graceful in habit. 4-inch pots, Each 35c, Doz. \$3.50.

**CANNAS**. *Vaughan's Seed Store* leads in the introduction of choice Cannas. Our sorts are world famous. Space prohibits the mention of many good sorts. Prices are on 1 to 2 eye roots.

**Butterfly**. (3½ ft.) Purest yellow. Green leaves. Our strain is the best on the market. Doz. 75c., 100 \$5.00.

**Hungaria**. (3½ ft.) The leading green-leaved pink. Pure La France pink with a silver sheen. Each 25c, Doz. \$2.50.

**Giant White**. (3 ft.) The largest and best white in existence. Green leaved. Each \$1.00, doz. \$7.00.

**Julius Koch**. (3 ft.) The most brilliant blood red in existence. Green leaves. Each 20c, Doz. 2.00, 100 \$15.00.

**King Humbert**. "The" *Canna* of today. (5½ ft.) Orange-scarlet flowers. Bronze foliage. Doz. 85c, 100 \$6.00.

**Long Branch**. (5 ft.) Bright crimson-bordered yellow. Green leaves. Doz. 85c, 100 \$6.00.

**Montreal**. (4 ft.) A "Dwarf King Humbert." Each 15c, Doz. \$1.25, 100 \$8.00.

**Prince Wied**. (3 ft.) Velvety blood red. Green leaves. Each 20c, Doz. \$2.00, 100 \$15.00.

**DAHLIAS**. We have a choice list of varieties too numerous to mention. Ask for our cut-flower list.

**HEMEROCALLIS**, *Dr. Regel*. A handsome apricot yellow. 2½ ft. Each 30c, Doz. \$3.00.

**Sovereign**. A beautiful shade of soft chrome yellow. 2½ ft. Each 30c, Doz. \$3.00.

**PHLOX** (*Perennial*). We can offer 20 of the best varieties on the market. Don't fail to get our list and prices.

**IRIS** *Interregna* varieties are worthy of wide cultivation.

**Helge**. Light lemon petals and a beautiful mother of pearl shade below. Very large flower, often measuring 4 inches across. Each 15c, Doz. \$1.50.

**Ingeborg**. Pure ivory white with sufficient pale orange stripes to relieve the monotony of a single shade. Each 15c, doz. \$1.50.

**Walhalla**. Rosy lavender petals above with a delicate claret red below. A very distinct sort. Each 15c, Doz. \$1.50.

**German**. The cream of the newer varieties of this type are:

**Jenny Lind**. Beautiful velvety purple brown. Each 20c, Doz. \$2.00.

**King of Iris**. "S" Lemon yellow. "F" deep brown and yellow. Each 35c, Doz. \$3.60.

**Loreley**. Very fine. "S" Light yellow. "F" Ultramarine blue, bordered cream. Each 20c, Doz. \$2.00.

**Pallida Dalmatica**. Largest and most beautiful of all German Iris. Perfectly hardy, strong grower and very free flowering. Exquisite shade of lavender. Valuable as a cut-flower. Each 15c, Doz. \$1.50, 100 \$12.00.

Ask for our complete list.

"S" refers to the three standard, or upright curling petals; "F" to three falls or drooping petals.

### BABY RAMBLER ROSES

**ERNA TESCHENDORFF**, *the Coming "Baby Rambler"*. We find that it keeps its color through the hottest days. It will create a great sensation as the first "Baby," which it resembles in color, but is darker and will not bleach out in the sun.

	Each	Dozen	100
2¼-in. pots.....	\$0.20	\$2.00	\$15.00
3-in. pots.....	20	3.00	20.00
4-in. pots.....	35	3.50	25.00
2-yr. dormant.....	50	5.00	35.00

**JESSIE**. Cherry crimson flowers borne in large clusters which never fade to that objectionable purple. A remarkably free bloomer, with glossy green foliage entirely free from mildew.

	Each	Dozen	100
4-in. pots.....	\$0.25	\$2.50	\$18.00
5-in. pots.....	40	4.00	30.00
2-yr. selected budded.....	25	2.50	18.00
3-yr. selected budded.....	30	3.00	20.00

## A Few of "Vaughan's Special" Vegetable Seeds

**BEANS**. We have our own Farms and Warehouse in Central Michigan; every field of beans carefully inspected and rogued.

Green Pod Varieties:	Per Bush.
Improved Early Red Valentine.....	\$3.50
Burpee's Stringless Green Pod.....	4.00
Black Valentine.....	4.00
Longfellow.....	4.00
Refugee or 1000 to 1.....	3.75
Davis Wax.....	4.00
Wardwell's Wax.....	4.00
Improved Golden Wax.....	4.00
Challenge Black Wax.....	4.00
Hodson Wax.....	4.00
Vaughan's Monster Stringless Wax.....	7.00

Per Lb.

**CELERY**. Chicago Giant Self-Blanching, the finest of early market. \$2.50

**What They Are** Vaughan's Special Vegetable Seeds are particular strains grown for the most critical trade. These are grown on our own land, or by actual growers with whom we contract directly, and whose entire crop we control.

**SWEET CORN**. Michigan grown, especially cured in our warehouse, insuring extra high germination: Per Bush. Malakoff..... 4.50

Early Iowa. An early, good-sized Sweet Corn for the middle west..... 4.50  
Golden Bantam..... 3.00  
Early Champion, Illinois grown..... 3.00  
Stowell's Evergreen, Illinois grown..... 3.00

**CUCUMBERS:** Per Lb.  
Davis Perfect, Vaughan's Special..... .50  
Vaughan's Arlington White Spine..... .45  
Snow Pickle..... .45

**MUSK MELON:**  
Vaughan's Original Hoodoo, select stock..... 1.00  
Original Osage..... 1.25  
Paul Rose, select stock..... 1.00  
Milwaukee Market..... 1.00

**PEPPER:**  
Magnum Dulce, largest and best Exhibition Sort..... 3.00  
New Sweet Upright Salad..... 2.50

## The Book of GLADIOLUS

FIRST AUTHORITATIVE BOOK ON THE GLADIOLUS EVER PUBLISHED. Written by MATTHEW CRAWFORD and DR. W. VAN FLEET, with additional notes drawn from many other reliable sources. 120 pages, cloth bound, fully illustrated. Retail at \$1.25. Should be listed in every seed catalogue published. Price to dealers \$1.00 per single copy; 90c each in lots of 10 or more.

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